

Petition for Suspension of Prosecution Under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c)
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In re Patent Application of:
Lee Goodman

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For: ROUTING T-37 E-MAIL OVER AN H323
(VOIP) NETWORK

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PETITION FOR SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.103(c)

1. Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.103(c), Applicant petitions for the suspension of action in this application.

2. This petition has been filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR §1.114 and an Amendment.

3. Fee Payment (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i))

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4. Term requested for suspension

The suspension of action is requested for the reasonable time period of three (3) months.

5. Reason for suspension request

In the Advisory Action the Examiner indicated the presence of allowed claims 16-26, but stated that there are double patenting concerns with regard to U.S. Pat. No. 6,735,617 (claim 16, items a, c, d). Applicants are considering both the claim and the issue of a possible terminal disclaimer and require additional time to determine how to proceed.

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